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**Monochloroacetone CAS 78-95-5**

Dear Mr. Auer,

In our original letter to the EPA dated November 22, 1999, Wacker Biochem committed to the testing of three compounds (2,4-Pentanedione, Di-n-Butyl ether and 2-Propanone, 1-chloro-). In that letter it was stated that **"Wacker-Chemie GmbH personnel in Europe will determine program activities for the third material."**, we remain committed to the principles of the HPV program and this chemical has not been forgotten by Wacker-Chemie.

The sponsorship of 1-Chloro-2-propanone is currently being pursued by Wacker-Chemie GmbH through the ICCA HPV program in Europe, with Germany serving as the sponsor country. Testing of this chemical to fill data gaps under the ICCA/OECD HPV program guidelines and protocols will be conducted in the near future and Wacker's goal is to present the SIDS documentation for this chemical at the Autumn 2005 SIAM meeting.

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Sincerely,

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